## H. R. 786.

## [Report No. 153.]

## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

JANUARY 30, 1857.

Read twice and committed to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Mr. LAKE, from the Committee on the Judiciary, reported the following bill:

## A BILL

For the relief of Samuel M. Puckett, a citizen of the State of Mississippi.

- 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-
- 2 tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,
- 3 That the treasurer pay to Samuel M. Puckett, out of any
- 4 money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum
- 5 paid by him in the purchase of land sold by the United States
- 6 through her marshal, William M. Guinn, in October, eighteen
- 7 hundred and thirty-seven, in the county of Neshoba, and State
- 8 of Mississippi, under a distress warrant, or other process,
- 9 against the property of Wiley P. Harris; and that so much
- 10 of the purchase money as remains unpaid on account of said
- 11 purchase by the said Puckett, or by John E. Richardson, and

- for which judgments have been rendered against the said 12 Puckett, be, and the same are hereby, released, and the said 13
- Puckett forever discharged from the payment of the same. 14

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